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## **FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION**

### **47 CFR Part 73**

**[MB Docket No. 12-130; RM-11662, DA 12-1208]**

Television Broadcasting Services; Greenville, North Carolina

**AGENCY:** Federal Communications Commission.

**ACTION:** Final rule.

**SUMMARY:** The Commission has before it a petition for rulemaking filed by ION Media Greenville License, Inc. (“ION”), the licensee of WEPX-TV, channel 51, Greenville, North Carolina, requesting the substitution of channel 26 for channel 51 at Greenville. While the Commission instituted a freeze on the acceptance of full power television rulemaking petitions requesting channel substitutions in May 2011, it subsequently announced that it would lift the freeze to accept such petitions for rulemaking seeking to relocate from channel 51 pursuant to a voluntary relocation agreement with Lower 700 MHz A Block licensees. In addition, according to ION, this channel substitution serves the public interest as it will increase the station’s service area by almost 100,000 persons.

**DATES:** This rule is effective **[INSERT DATE OF PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER]**.

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**SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION:** This is a synopsis of the Commission’s Report and Order, MB Docket No. 12-130, adopted July 27, 2012, and released July 30,

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The Commission will send a copy of this Report and Order in a report to be sent to Congress and the Government Accountability Office pursuant to the Congressional review Act, see 5 U.S.C. 801(a)(1)(A).

### **List of Subjects in 47 CFR Part 73**

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**Final rule**

For the reasons discussed in the preamble, the Federal Communications Commission amends 47 CFR Part 73 as follows:

**PART 73 -- RADIO BROADCAST SERVICES**

1. The authority citation for part 73 continues to read as follows:

Authority: 47 U.S.C. 154, 303, 334, 336, and 339.

§ 73.622 [Amended]

2. Section 73.622(i), the Post-Transition Table of DTV Allotments under North Carolina, is amended by removing channel 51 and adding channel 26 at Greenville.

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